



Reply Under 37 CFR 1.116  
Expedited Procedure  
Art Unit 2815

AF

UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

Applicant: KERBER  
Serial No.: 10/814,512  
Filed: 4/1/2004  
Title: SELF-ALIGNED JUNCTION  
PASSIVATION FOR  
SUPERCONDUCTOR INTEGRATED  
CIRCUIT FABRICATION

Atty. Dkt.: 20-010-DIV

Art Unit: 2815

Examiner: RICHARDS

Corres. and Mail  
**BOX AF**

Commissioner for Patents  
U.S. Patent and Trademark Office  
Customer Window, Mail Stop AF  
Randolph Building  
401 Dulany St.  
Alexandria, VA 22314

Date: 25 April 2006

AMENDMENT UNDER 37 CFR 1.116

Sir:

In response to the office action mailed 13 April 2006, please amend the application as follows:

*OK to enter  
MPL 5/1/06*

Amendments to the Claims are reflected in the listing of claims that begins on page 2 of this paper.

Remarks begin on page 8 of this paper.